

No. 6942 號二十四百九千六第 自八部月正年辰庚緒光 HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 8th, 1880. 號八月三英 青拜禮 PRICE \$21 PER MONTH. SHIPPING BANKS. AUCTIONS. NOTICES OF FIRMS. INTIMATIONS. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES INTEMATIONS TATIONAL BANK OF INDIA FURNITURE SALE. ARRIVALS. NOTICE: ANE, ORAW ORD & C.O. PROM-GALGUTTA PENANG AND ITALIAN OPERA Murch 6, Kaisar i-Hind, British steamer, HAVE FOR SALE, EX "GLENBARN" AND SINGAPORE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received AR. THOMAS FAIRHURST is RECENT ARRIVALE: Instructions to Soll by Public Anction, at THIHE Steamship Registered in London under the Companies' Act authorised to SIGN our Firm in Foo-

4,023, R. Methyen, Bombay February 14th, Gallo 21st, Penang 26th, and Singapore 28th. Mails and General. P. & O. S. N. Co. March 6, Namoa, British ateamor, 864, Wes-

March 6, Faulu-A-Balavon, German bark, from Whampon, 271, D. Rate, General, -CARLOWITZ & CO. March 5, Foodnow, British steamer, 709, J. Thomas, from Canton, General. Bur-

TERFTELD & Co. March 6, VIGILANT, British paddle despatchversel. Lieutenant-Commander Annesev, Manila 3rd March.

March 7, Venice, British str., 1.271, Rhode Coleutta 18th Fabruary Renanc 25th and Singapore 28th, General and Opium. -JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co.

March 7, CLEVELAND, British steamer, 769 Harvey, Saigon 28th February Rice .-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. March 7, Ktung-cnow, British str., 159, A. M. Love, Hollow 6th March, General,

-Kwor Acheone. March 7, Hwar-yuan, Chinese steamer, 780 Wilson, Shanghai 4th March, General -C. M. S. N. Co. March 7, Jennau. British str., 399, T. L. Clark, Saigon 2nd March, General.-MAN HING & Co!

March 7, Carishnoore, British str., 960, H Wharton, Singapore 21st February, and London. Saigon 29th. Rice.—Man Hing & Co. March 7, YOTTUNG, British steamer, 286, D. MucDougall, Swatow 6th March, Geneml-Kwok Acheong.

March 7, Chinese steamer, 314, The Bank of England. Deegan, from Cauton .- C. M. S. N. Co March 7, Conquest, British str., 317, Hamlin, Hailoung 3rd March, and Holhow 6th, General.—Chinese.

CHEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MANTER'S OFFICE. Макон бти! Douglas, British stemmer, for Swatow, &c. Priam, British steamer, for Singapore and

Breconshire, British steamer, for Saigon. Bellona, German steamer, for Saigon. Hasperia, German steamer, for Saigon. Foochow, British steamer, for Swatow. Hau-skin, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. Ningpo, British steamer, for Canton:

DEPARTURES March 6, Nilgata Manu, Japanese steamer, for Kobe.

March 6, HARRIANG, Chinese gunboat, for be learnt on application. March o, Hesperia, Gorman steamer.

March 6, Ningpo, British str., for Canton. March 6, Trong. French str., for Yokohama. March 7, DJEMNAH, Frem, str., for Shanghai. March 7, PRIAM, British steamer, for Singapore and London. March 7, BEECONSHIRE, British steamer, for

March 7, Douglas, Brit. str., for East Coast. March 7, Sunda, British str., for Yokohama. March 7, Kaisar-I-Hind, British steamer, for Shanghai. March 7, NONPAREIL, Brit. bark, for Mauil

March 7, EMPIRE, Amer. ship, for Manila. March 7, HAE-SHIN, Chi. str., for Shanghair

PASSENGERS,

Per Kaisar-i-Hind, str., from Bombay, &c.-For Hongkong. - Mr. G Mahomed from Bombay. From Southampton.—Mr. H. J. Silverlook. Lieut, Belan, R.N., Capt. J. E. Webb, From

Penang. 7 Chinese, From Singapore, Mrs. Lemon and child, Mr. A. Hormusjes, and 73 Chinese. For Shanghai.-Mr. Stent from Southampton. For Amoy. -2 Chinese from Penang. For Yokohama.-Messra borebrienkoff and Hartley from Brindisi. From Spez .- Mr. and Mrs. Kendig. Por Namon, str., from Bast Coast.-Mr. I Milno, and 430 Chinose, deck.

Per Venice, str., from Calcutta, &c .- Mi Koch and 2.0 Chinese. Per Esmeralda, str.; for Manila, Mr. and Mrs. Lind, Messrs. W. H. Young, E. Solomon,

und A. Wasinowiski. Per Priam, str., for Singapord and London .-Mrs. Daly and Mr. W. Dongal, and 680 Chinese from Hongkong for Singapore. From Shanghad for London -Mr and Mrs. Bryant and 5 children, Mrs. Marshall and children, Mrs. Sadler and child, Miss Houston, Masses. Tough and Per Tibre, str., for Yokohama, -- From Hong.

kong.-Messrs. Butt and Cameron. From Marseilles.-Mr. Breadey. Per Djemmuh, str., for Shanghai.-From Rougkong,—Baron Hoffeles, Messes, F. Venel Geo. Lewis, Gilmore, Hours, Sty, Nickels, A. G. Wood, G. E. Wollesley, Ogle, and Lullin, and 7 Chinese. From Marseilles, -- Mossrs. Lout. Foster, and Bing.

Per Sunda, str., for Yokohama,-Hon. J. Russell and Mr. Bottomly. Per Kaisur-I-Hind, str., for Shanghai.-Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Messrs, K. S. Kelly, McGro- commercial places in Europe, India, Australia gor, Bidwell, Hutchings, and Sentance.

REPORTS. The Chinese steamship Hwai-yucn reports left Shanghai on 4th March at 4 a.m., and arrived in

Hongkong at 3 p.m. on the 7th, and had light N.E. winds and fine weather. The British steamship Jeddok reports left Saigon on 3rd March. From Suigon to Hongkong experienced strong N.E. mouseen and high

- sea with strong S.W. ourgent, The British steamship Venice reports left Culcutta on 18th February, Penang on the 25th, and Singapore on the 28th. Up the China Sea to

int, o M. had very has weather, and from thonce to port very strong monsoon and heavy sea. The British steamship Kaisar I Hind reports left Bombay on 14th February, Galle, on the 21st, Penang on the 26th, and Singapore on the 28th. From Bombay to Straits moderate mon-

soon and squally weather. From Singapore to Hongkong strong monsoon with thick, rainy The British steamship Carisbrooks reports left Singapore on 21st February, and Saigen on the 29th. Encountered strong monsoon and heavy cross see abreast of Hainan. Port deck house

forward washed completely overboard, several feet of rail washed away and other damage to vessel genearly; the latter part more moderate CHAMPAGNE, at \$124 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN The British stemmship Namoa reports left

Foodhow on 3rd March. Experienced fresh N.F. wluds and fine weather. Arrived in Amoy. on the ith, and left again on same evening, and had strong monagon and heavy see to Swatow.
Arrived in Swatow on the 5th and left again on same evening for Hongkong, and had light winds and calm weather throughout the passage. In Foochew H.M.S. Moorhen. In Amoy the Ger. man correcte Luise. In Swatow the stemmships Hochung, Swatow, Yottung, and Chinese revenue erniser Fei-hoo.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., At 2 P.M. Househald Farniture, to.

of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866. Established in Calcutta 20th September, 1863. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £933,060 and Swatow 5th, General.-D. LAPRAIK RESERVE FUND £20,000.

HEAD OFFICE -39A, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:-NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted. INTEREST allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at | date. the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balances; and on Fixed Deposits seconding to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent per annum.

R. H. SANDEMAN Manager. Hougkong, 1st November, 1879. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. Incorporated 7th and 18th March, 1848.

Recognised by the International Convention of CAPITAL FULLT PAID-UP £3,200,000. RESERVE FUND £300,000

HEAD OFFICE-14, RUE BERGERE, PARIS AGENCIES AND BRANCHES AT: BOURBON. SAN FRANCISCO HONGKONG. MARSETLLES BOMBAY. CALCUTTA, HANKOW.

SHANGHAL, FOOCHOW. LONDON BANKERS THE UNION BANK OF LONDON

The Honkgong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the world, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

E. G. VOUILLEMONT. Manager, Shanghai. 20th May, 1879. RIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).

PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum

At 6 Months Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum At 12 Months' Notice: 5 per Cent. per Annum. Current Accounts kopt on Torms which may GEO. O. SCOTT. Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. THARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS TRALIA, AND CHINA. CAPITAL £800,000

Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE CITY BANK. HE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND The BANK'S BRANCH in HONGKONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Bunking and Exchange

ESERVE FUND 2150,000

BATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS. On Current Accounts, 2% Per Annum on THE DAILY BALANCE.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS. FOR 3 MONTHS, 3 % PER ANNUM. FOR 6 MONTHS, 4 % PER ANNUM. FOR 12 MONTHS, 5 % PER ANNUM.

Hougkong, 29th July, 1878. ET ONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL5,000,000 of Dollars RESERVE FUND1,500,000 of Dollars, Court of Directors:-Chairman-The Hon, W. KESWICK.

Deputy Chairman-A. McIver, Esq. Wilhelm Reinera, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq. L. Dalrymple, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq., MANAGER. Shanghai -- EWEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Donosit Accounts at the rate of per cont. per Annum on the daily bakinge. On Fixed Doposits :-

-For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 5 months 4 per Cent. per Amnum. For 12 months 5 per Cent, per Aunum. LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DEAFTS granted on London, and the chief

America, China and Japan. . T. JACKSON: Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, 14th February, 1880.

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND

(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER) The following RATES of INTEREST are ALLOWED OR FIXED DEPOSITS: FOR 12 MONTHS, 5 % PER ANNUM FOR C MONTHS, 4 % PER ANNUM. FOR 3 MONTHS, 2"/ PER ANNUM:

H. H. NELSON, Hongkong, 1st June, 1879.

MUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s CLIARETS, at \$183. 89, 38, \$7, \$6, and \$43 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTE. SHERRIES, at \$101, 891, 89, and \$81 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$131 PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN HOCK, at 59 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS RANDIES, * ** *** and ****, at \$74, 381, \$10

and \$11 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. Detailed Price Lists on application to STEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 8th January, 1880.

NOW ON BALE. THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANCE. By Dr. DRYAN, With many Additions, Corrections,

and Dr. WILLIAMS Orthography. PRIOR .-In Paper Wrapper. Apply at the Daily Free Office.

chow from date hereof. Hongkong, 6th March, 1880.

R. N. C. STEVENS is hereby authorized to SIGN pur Name by procuration at Amor, the Power held by Mr. ELWELL coasing from this date. China, February 9th, 1880

RAR. HENRY CRAWFORD will SIGN our NAME per producation from this LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 4th March, 1880.

TATR. CHARLES J. HIRST was admitted A PARTNER in our Firm on the 1st

Hongkong, 4th March, 1850. NOTICE.

TATE have Established ourselves as MER-VV CHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS at this port from this date, under the Style or Firm of HATEE MAHOMED & Co. Hongkong, 13th February, 1880.

NOTICE. THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto oxisting of NEWMAN, GITTINS & Co., terminated by effluxion of time, on the 31st December, 1879. All accounts will be adjusted by NEWMAN and DIES.

WALTER NEWMAN. JOHN GITTINS. Boochow, 1st January, 1880. EFERRING to the above advertisement A w hereby give notice that I intend continning Business in Foodlow under the Name of

NEWMAN & Co. WALTER NEWMAN. Focobow, 1st January, 1880. [lm391

NOTICE. WE have This Day authorized Mr. CARL von PUSTAU to SIGN our FIRM by PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, 25th February, 1850. . [1m37 NOTICE: BY effect of time the INTEREST and RR-sponsibility of Mr. D. A. DARLING

in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December, BROWN & Co.

Amoy, 16th February, 1880, [im:3:

TO BE LET.

FIRST-CLASS STORK-FLOORED GODOWN signated upon Marine Lot 10. The TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, STAN

LEY STREET, lately in the occupation of the Temperance Hull, DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 9th February, 1880. TO LET. TAIRST FLOOR of HOUSE No. 1. PRAYA EAST, Marine Lot No. 65, together with the Ground Floor, or separately.

GROUND FLOORS of Nos. 3 and 4.

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 5th February, 1880. TO LET. ETWO LARGE and Commontous ROOMS

for Offices, PRAYA CENTRAL. Apply to DUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. TO LET:

MAIRLEA, as a whole or divided, with separate entrances and Gardens. Compositions GODOWNS and Water-side

- DAVIS & Co. Hongkong, 7th Fabruary, 1880. TO LET.

NOMMODIOUS and DESTRABLE OFFICES . on the Praya, ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 6th February, 1880. TIO BE LET (on Lease) for Buildi g.

10,000 feet, at Spring Gardens, on Juland Lot No. 199, commanding a good view of the har-BRERETON & WOTTON. Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 5th February, 1880.

TO LET. LOUR STORIED HOUSES in HOLLY. WOOD ROAD. A HOUSE in LYNDHURST TERRACE.

E. R. BELILIOS. Hongkong, 29th December, 1879.

TO BE LET. With Immediate Possession,

L QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, next door to. Mesers. FALCONER & Co.'s, and recently in ocoupation of MING KING. Also, with Possession about and of March HOUSES and a BUNGALOW at top of EL-GIN STREET, now in course of construction on the site of the late Lusitano Theatre.

DAVIS & Co. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1880. TO LET With Early Possession, THE Semi-Detached DWELLING HOUSE No. 1. WESTBOURNA VILLAS, Bonham Road, with Garden. Also Stable Accommodation if required.

For Particulars, apply to LINSTEAD & Co. Hongkong, 18th February, 1880. TO LET. With Possession from 1st March next.

THE Desirable DWELLING HOUSE A known as "THE Castle," at present ocounied by Mr. HANGOCK. For Particulars, apply to LINSTEAD & Co. Hongkong, 20th January, 1880.

TO LET. LIOREIGN HOUSES, containing & Rooms and Out-houses, also CHINESE SHOPS and HOUSES, in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.-Hongkong, 2nd February, 1880.

TO LET. N Marine Lot No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Hongkong, 25th July, 1879. TO BE LET.

BHOPS. Apply to SHARP AND DANBY, No. 6, Queen's Road Central. Opposite to Mesers, Burtenfield & Swine's Hongkong, 26th Beptember, 1879.

No. 1. Blue Buildings I raya East, the Ro sidence of J. Mooke, Esq., Commissary General

THIE DAY, the 8th March, 1880, at 2 o'Clock Par, th whole of the VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE comprising Crotonne-covered DRAWING-ROOM SUITE. Choice CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHS MIRRORS, LAMPS, CARD TABLES and SIDE TABLES, CUETAINS, FENDER and FIRE IRONS, &c., &c.

DINING TABLE. Carvot SIDEBOARD WHATNOT, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE CROCKERY and GLASSWA . E, &c. TRON REDSTEAD, with SPRING MAT-PLESS, WARDROBES, TOILET MIRRORS DRESSING TABLES, Marble-top-WASH STANDS, Child's IRON BEDSTEADS, &c.,

An American Semi-grant PIANO, Iron-olad (a very fine instrument). TERMS OF SALE.—As usual. Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture will be on view the morning of the Sale. Hongkong, 2nd March, 18:0.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from H.M. Naval ctorekeeper to Sell by Public Auction, TO-MOREOW.

1297 the 9th March, 1880, at Noon at H.M. Naval Yard, Old Suadry Condomned NAVAL, VICTUALLING, and MEDICAL STORES, comprising :-OLD IRON. HOSES and LEATHER between the Undersigned, under the Style LIGNUM VITE, INDICATORS, NET KNIVES, CARPET, OFFAL WOOD, Sugar

HOGSHEADS; One Sot STOCKS, TAPS, TERMS OF SALE .- As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 4th March, 1880. PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has recei ed instructions From the Official Assignee to Sell by Pub-

lie Austion, on WEDNESDAY. the 10th March, 1880, at 2 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,

of Mr. BECUNDING ANTONIO NORONHA, Bank-TABLES, CHAIRS, COUCH, WHAT-NOTS, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, CLOCK, VASES, Double Inon BED-STEAD, English-made Mahoguny WARD. ROBE, Double-winged WARDROBE, Marbletop TOILET TABLE and WASHSTAND.

Lo. de. TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. * Auctioneer. Hongkong, 5th March, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Soll by Pablic Ametion, on THURSDAY,

the 11th March, 1880, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road (to close Consignment).— 30 Cases CHAMPAGNE, Carte Noise, 11 Cases OLD CHAMPAGNE COGNAC. 7 Cases Robin Frères Vieux COGNAC. 17 Cason CLARET, "Earose." 8 Cases CLARE", " Latitte." 5 Casos Croze BURGUNDY.

_ J. M. ARMSTRONG, Audtioneer. Hongkong, 8th March, 1880, PUBLIC AUCTION. Will Undersigned has received instructions

TERMS OF SALE.—As oustomary:

L to Sell by Public Austion, on MONDAY. the 15th March, 1880, at 2 P.M. (unless previously disposed of by Private Sale), the well-known "BRITIS" HOTEL."

No. 181, Queen's Road Central, with GOOD WILL, STOCK IN TRADE, WILES, LI Horgkong, Eth Jamury, 1880. [139] QUEURS, HOUSE and BEDROOM FUR. NITURE, BAR and BILLIARD TABLE, Ac. For Particulars, apply to the Proprietor, or to the Undersigned. F. RAPP. Anctionenr.

Hot glong, 4th March, 1880. PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT. TWO BE SOLD as a GOING CONCERN, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on a day to be hereafter fixed in the mouth of April pext (un-Co. less previously disposed of by Private Contract and subject to withdrawal by the Vendors for

any other reason, of which due notice will be girent, the PIECE of UROUND, containing about BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS AND SHIP. · WRIGHTS. lately carried on by Messrs. J. INGLIS & Co. known as the Victoria Founday, and situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with all the PLANT, MACHINERY, TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, STEAM LAUNCHES, and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and including the Goodwill and all

Existing Contracts and Engagements. For further Particulars, apply to SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Mortgagees. Supreme Court House,

17th February, 1880. PUBLIC AUCTION OF THOSE VALUABLE COMMODIOUS AND CENTRALLY LO. THE Eligible BUSINESS PREMISES in CATED BUSINESS PREMISES, No. 31. TONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said YANGTSZE ROAD THUND), SHANGHAL

HYHE Undersigned, acting under instructions. the price or sum of \$500,000, subject to the from the Truster to the Estate of Mesers. next, "SEA VIEW." FOUR SIX-ROOMED WM. PUSTAU & Co., will Sell by Public Auc-TION within their Offices on FRIDAY the 12th day of March next, 1980, immediately

after the Sale of the Property belonging to the . Estate of the late WILLIAM MILLER. -ALL THAT PLOT OF PARCEL of GROUND, No. 17 of the Plan of Shanghai, together with docking, making, and repairing vessels is in full the several Buildings thereon, formerly operation, so that the Company can at once enpossessed and occupied by the said WM. Pus. ter upon active business, which it is expected TAU & Co., and known as the "Loo Ling will be highly remunerative." Hong." The Land is registered at the Im. perial German Consulate General at Shanghai; it measures 3m. 3f. 7l. 8h. or thereby. and it is bounded thus on the East by the Yangisza Road, on the North and West by ready taken up, and it is intended that the H.B.M.'s Consulate Grounds, and on the Capital will be called up as follows :-South by the Masonio Hall. The Buildings consist of

FIRST. - A very substantially built Dwelling House, which comprises a smite of Compra- interest at 12 per cent. per annum. dore's and native employes' Rooms on the Basement; Diving and Drawing Rooms. Spacious Public Offices, and a strong Stone up to the 15th day of April, 1880. Treasury with Iron Doors, on the First Floor: and the necessary Bed and Bath Room Ac. THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, commodation on the Second Storey. SECOND.—The DWELLING HOUSE, known as the Loo Ling Junior Hong, underneath and attached to which are large TEA and SILE

"HED .- A LARGE GENERAL GODOWN oricinally built with the view of sustaining anoflier storey. The front or main Dwelling House overlooks the Public Garden, and commands an extensive view of the Harbour and River of Shanghai. Intending Purchasers can inspect the Pra-OUSES, OFFICES, GODOWNS, and Imises at any time betwirt and the date of cale on applying to AD. REIS, Esq., Trustes to the Estate or to the Undersigned from whom any further information required may be obtained.

GODOWNS, and Kitchen, Servants' Offices, and

Stabling; and ____

P. MACLEAN & Co., - Auctioneers. Shanghai, 20th January, 1880,

RUINART, PERR ET FILS' CARTE BLANCHE CHAMPAGNE, a high class dry wine. A few dozens very flue DRY MONTILLA

CLARETS BURGUNDIES and SAUTER ES first rate CRV. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA SHERRIES SPARKLING SAUMUR, Quarts and Pints;

11 por Caso. FOSTER'S BASS. BULKE'S GUINNESS. MORLEY'S HOSIERY. STRAW HATS, Etona and other Shapes. The New Patent TAFFRAIL LOGS. Mother SEIGEL'S CURATIVE SYRUP for

ARTISTS' COLOURS, in Oil and Water,

The Latest NEW NOVELS. NEW SEASON'S GOODS FOR TAILORING DE-PARTMENT-LIGHT ANGOLAS, CASHMERES, IMPERIALS, &c., &c. WHITTARER'S ALMANACS.

LAWN TENNIS. PONY HARNESS SADDLERY. WHIPS. SPECIAL BLEND OLD SCOTCH WHISKY. Exenaw's, Hennesey's, and Counvoisier's pense. RANDIES. PORT, SHERRY, CLARET, BRANDY

and WHISKY, of undoubted value, from Messrs. W. and A. GILREY : Price Lists on application. ALGEBIAN CIGARETTES, COPE'S TO-BACCOS. SMITH and WELLSTOOD'S CELEBRATED JOOKING STOVES.

BROADWOOD'S PIANOS for Sale or Hire. PIANOFORTES and HARMONIUMS TUNED and REPAIRED by a thoroughly efficient ELECTRO PLATE in New Designs and great variety. SCHOOL BOOKS. TODDY KETTLES:

Hongkong, 4th March, 1880. NY ELLY AND WALSH obtained immediately after landing. have just received-SMALL BOKES OF REAL HAVANA CIGARS. MEERSCHAUM PIPES. CIGAR and CIGARETTE JOLDERS. SMYRNA CIGARETTE TOBACCO. The New POCKET SLATES. The Patent "BRIE" CIGAR LIGHTER. Mr. GRAY'S LIFE IN CANTON,

HUGHES'S MANLINESS OF CHRIST.

DICKBES'S WORKS, complete, in Case. New Copying Apparatus "The Curomo-GRAPH." PROCTOR'S NEW STAR ATLAS. " KEITH JOHNSON'S ROYAL ATLAS. General GRANT'S TRAVELS ROUND THE WORLD, Vol. I. GUIZOT'S HISTORY OF FRANCE. CASSELL'S HIS TORY OF THE RUSSO-TURKISH WAR: Ross's Corea; Ancient and Modern. Coloured Illustrations. CESNOLA'S CYPRUS, ITS TOMBS, TEMPLES, &c. McDougal's Single AND COMPOUND ENGINES. WHITAKER'S AL-MANACES. PIRY'S EBR TOU-MEL.

TENNYSON'S, SHAKESPEARE'S, and LONGFEL-1410 Low's Porms, in Case. NEW STATIONERY. NEW CHIT BOOKS. TOSEPH GILLOTT

STEEL PENS GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878. Sold by all Stationers and Dealers,

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COM-PANY, LIMITED. REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1865. AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877.

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GENERAL AGENTS. Messrs, RUSSELL & Co. DIRECTORS WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, Esq.

J. A. DOS REMEDIOS, Esq.

KWOK ACHEONG, Esq. O. VINCENT SMITH, Esq. BANKERS. THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA

AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. SOLICITORS.

Musses, BRERETON and WOTTON.

This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the CosmoroLitan Dock their Dock and the the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Ground and Promises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Sachinery, and Stock in Trade of notice to the contrary be given before 5 P.M. the parties aforesaid, and the Business and TO.DAY. Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Rongkong. For this purpose an abso- after the 9th instant will be subject to rent. lute Assignment dated the Slat day of January. 1880, bus been entered into by Mosars, Wille-LIAM HOWEL FORBES, FRANK BLACKWELL FORDES, SAMUEL WYLLYS POSTEROY, Junior, JOHN AURRAY FORBES, Indior, FREDERICK DELANO HITCH, HENRY DE COURCY FORDS and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, morebants, trading as Russell & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHN-STON, and NEGON SPRATT, the owners of, the said Cosmopolitan Dook, with Mesers. CWOR ACHRONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOSE AN Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, condition that if the Stock-in-Trude consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent. valuator; at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abote accordingly: The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest vessels affeat; it and

the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The business of building, The Business of the Company will be conducted by Messrs. Bussell & Co., as General to the undersigned for countersignature, and Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been al

\$75 per share on allotment. 325 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880. All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form will be received by the Agents,

LIMITED. To Messra. Russell & Co., General Agents.

GENTLEMEN,hereby request that you will allot to Sharps in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less unmber you may allot to and agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on adlotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

N.B.—Blank Form of Application for Shares

Your obodient Servant,

Gentlemen.

having arrived from the above Ports Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their cisk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence " from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Consiguees of Opium are requested to take SPARKLING SAUMUR, Quarts and Pints; immediate delivery from on, board. Opium not very good and cheap aparkling wine, \$10 and early taken delivery of will be landed into the Godowns of the Undersigned at East Point: Cargo remaining undelivered after the 14th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 8th March. 1880. [1w424 FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

HE Steamship Captain J. D. Eston, having arrived from the HOUSES in Electn Street, at Moderate above Ports, Consignoss of Cargo by her are Rentals. hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consiguees' risk and ex-Consignees are also hereby informed that any

Claims must be made immediately, as nove wi be entertained after the 12th instant. D. SASSOON, CONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 6th March, 1-80. STEAMSHIP "DJEMNAH."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship from London, in connection, with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods [37] are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless & Co., Sydnoy (N.S. W.) intimation is received from the Consigness be fore ONE o'Clock TO-DAY, requesting it to be landed hero. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Judersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRIDAY the 12th instant, at Noon, will be subject to

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 5th March, 18-0. BRITISH DARK "PERU," FROM ANTWERP.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Ves-

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

rent and landing charges.

sel are hereby remosted to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Versel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, 4th March, 1880. TO CONSIGNEES OF OFTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "LAERTES," FROM LIVERPOOL. THIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 8th

instant for shipment per Steamer "DEUCA.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Apents.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer " LAERTES" SHARES OF \$100 EACH (FULLY PAID are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for

delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 2nd March, 1880. Goods undelivered after the 8th March, 1880 will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1880.

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

NIHE Stoumship " GLÁMIS CASTLE," Greig, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are heroby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk-into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai whonce delivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on

Ontional Cargo will be forwarded on unless No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining 3.-Washing and Repairing Barrack and

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hougkong, 2nd March, 1880. TATOTICE TO CONSIGNERS

STEAMSHIP "NIIGATA-MARU," FROM KORE AND YOROHAMA. CONSIGNEES of CARGO by the above Vesse are hereby requested to send in their Bills o Lading for Countersignature, and to take immadiate delivery of their Goods from alongside." Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 2nd March will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk.

MITSU BIBHI MAIL S.S. CO., 6. Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 1st March, 1880. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. Not Pire Insurance las been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agont. Ex "YANGTEZE."

J requested to send in their Bills of Lading

TONSIEUR EUGENE PIRON. PROFESSOR OF FRENCH AND SINGING.

TRAINING OF THE VOICE.

MG, Nes. 904 and 525, Mr. A. d'Argence,

Cases Tobacco, from Marseilles.

Hongkong, 19th February, 1889.

213, SPRING GARDENS, WANCHAL PENTAL NOTICE R. ROGERS leaves Hongkong on the 1st April for Shanghai at which port he will remain during the summer.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1880 THE BTAGEROTEL QUEEN'S ROAD HONGKONG. This Hotel is centrally situated, and within a few minutes walk of the principal Landing Stages. Tiffin at ONE o'clock. Dioper at SEVER. Good Accommodation for Visitors. New English and American Billiard Tables.

THURSDAY, 11TH MARCH, 1880. GRAND CONCERT, VOCAL AND

INSTRUMENTAL will be given by the Artistes of the ITABIAN OPERA COMPANY. SIGNORA MANCINI. SIGNORI SBRISCIA & BERGAMASCHI,

with the kind assistance of several Amatours, MAESTRO GUARNIERI.

CONCERT ROOM, CITY HALL. PROGRAMME IN FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS. Tickets can be seenred at Mesars, KELLY and VALSIT'S.

Hongkong, 6th March, 1880. TO LET. COMMODIOUS THREE STORED HOUSE A ___ in Hollywood Road

Apply to J. J. nos REMEDIOS & Co. Hopgliong, 8th March, 1880. NOTICE, THAVE This Day Established myself in this Port as a MERCHANT and COM.

MISSION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of "John Silverlock & Co." JOHN SILVERLOCK, JR. Foodhow, 1st March, 1880. ANTED -A SITUATION AS NURSE

V or MAID to a Lady going to England or New York. Address P. H., Office of this Hongkong, 8th March, 1880.

ANTED the Address of ALBERT TINLEY BARTON, of " Eighfield," Cheshire, England, who arrived in Sydney per SOBRAON," 1872. Intportant information in reference to property in England awaits him. Any one knowing his whereabouts is requested to communicate with Larray urn Dickenson DESCRIPTION .- Height 6ft, lin., sallow com

plexion, blue eyes, dark hair, light-brown mons

tache, broud, shoulders, and slight figure. [42]

THE DISTRESS IN IRELAND. A Ta Preliminary A coling convened by His Excellency the GOVERNOR, and held at Government House on Saturday, the 6th of March, 1380, the following Resolutions weremeeting be called to obtain Subscriptions for the relief of the present distress in Ireland. The Funds so collected to be sent to the Duchess of Marlborough's Committee. That a local Committee be formed representing

the principal interests in the Community, and that Mr. JACKSON be requested to not as Honorary Secretary and Treasurer pro. tem. to make arrangements for calling the Meeting. The following Subscriptions were given in the room by the Gentlemen attending the Preliminary Meeting :-His Excellency the Governor

His Excelency General DONOVAN ... Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY Hon, James Russell Hon. C. E. PLUNKET ATWELL COXON, Esq. W. H. Breneton, Esq. Mr. Justice Francis R. D. STARRET, Ed. Deputy Inspector-General BREEN ... Deotor HARTIGAN C. V. CREAGH, Esq. W. H. Mossop, Esq. J. M. FLEMING, Esq. W. HORAN, Esq. W. Prestage, Esq. 825 With reference to the foregoing a PUBLIC

MEETING will be held at the CITY HAIR. THIS (MONDAY) AFTERNOON, the 8th instant, at 4 o'Clock. His Excellency the Go. VEBNOE will presido. By Order.

T. JACKSON, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, pro. tem. Hongkong, 6th March, 18:0.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. TENDERS, in Duplicate, marked on the Covers "Tender for Army Contracts," will be received by the Undersigned until IO A.M. on FRIDAY, the 19th instant, for the andermentioned SUPPLIES and SERVICES, required by the War Department at Hongkong and Ont-posts, during the year, from the 1st

April, 1880, to the lils! March, 1881, viz .:-SUPPLIES. I .- For Her Majesty's Troops -- Provisions. FUEL LIGHT, CO. 2 .- For Hospitals-PROVISIONS, WINES, POR-TER, ALE, SPIRITS, &c., &c.

SERVICES.

HOSPITAL BEDDING and CLOTHING. 4.—CLEANSING the ROADS, PARADES, and NULLAR A to D (see plan), &c., at the various Cantonments and other SCAVEN-GER'S WORK also SWEEPING CHIMNEY FLUES and STOVE PIPMS; likewise CLEANING, LIGHTING, and PROVIDING OIL, &c., for Exterior Lamps. .- For the Punctiase of Empty Ponten

There will be a acparate Tender for each of the five items. No Tender will be accepted from any person in Government employ. Samples of certain of the Articles required in accordance with which supplies must be farnished, can be seen at this Office: wiers, also, Forms of Tender (no other than those issued by the Department will be recognised), Conditions of Contract, Specification and Plan of Scavenging Contract, and any further Information required. can be obtained upon application between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. daily.

C. B. SHERVINTON, Liout Colonel, District Commissory-General. Commissariat Office, Hongkong, 8th March, 1880. NOTICE. _ • ADIES or GENTLEMEN wishing to become

BUBSCEIBERS to a "SKATING RINK" -

will please send in their applications. Address 8. R. care of Office of this paper. Hongkong, 6th March, 1880. NOTICE. G. GUARNIERI, having made contracts V.L. with a number of Gentlemen, intends o remain in Hongkong, and offers his Services to the Public for LESSONS on the Plane.

FORTE, in SINGING, and MUSIC GENERALLY.

59, WYNDHAM STREET. TONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CONTRIBUTING SHARKHOLDERS are requested to send in an Account of Business contributed during the half year ended 31st December, 1879, on or before March 31st, on which date the accounts will be closed. By Order of the Board of Directors. D. GILLIES.

Secretary.

Henrykong, 21st February, 1880. OR SALE, -A Newly Built Complete BTEAM LAUNCH of Commound Engine; 76 feet long, 13 feet broad, and 7 feet 5 inches doep; anchored at Yau-ma-ti Harbour. Full Particulars on application to-LAL SHANG, No. 35. Bonham Strand.

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NOTICE.

WATSON AND CO., FAMILY AND DISPENSING

By Appointment to His Excellency the Go-VERNOR and his Royal Highness the DUKE or EDINBURGH, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS PERFUMERS.

PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS, DRUGGISTS' SUNDRYMEN, AERATED WATER MAKERS,

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED, PASSENGER SHIPS SUPPLIED.

Norror .- To avoid delay in the execution of Orders it is particularly requested that all business communications be addressed to the evening of the 27th instant. Firm, A. S. WATSON and Co., or HONGKONG DISPENSARY. [3]

At Shanghai, on the lat March, at H.B.M. Consulate, ELLEN JESSIE, the much beloved wife of Arthur

Davenport.

IONGKONG, MARCH STH. 1880.

solution forwarded by the City of London Committee, presumably of the Society for departure of Mr. Phillippo and the arrival the Abolition of the Contagious Diseases Mr. O'Malley with credit to himself and eatis-Acts. We can well understand that these worthy and much respected gentlemen would be greatly shocked at the disclosures made in the report of the Commission appointed to inquire into the working of the C. D. Ordinance in the Colony. And, truth to tell, there were some grave abuses brought to light by the Commission; among them the sale of women and children into prostitution, a practice which still remains to be put down. But the evidence brought before the Commission, especially that of the naval and military surgeons, went strongly to show the great benefits derivable from the proper and judicious enforcement of the Ordinance. Dr. WELLS, R.N., in particular, in a long and able communication on the subject, showed how the ordinance might be efficiently worked in the Colony, and bore testimony to the advantages -attending it. The evidence in favour of the retention of the Acts in seaport and garrison towns is simply overwhelming, and no real philanthropist or lover of his species, with any experience of their working, would for one moment dream of opposing them. Unhappily for the weal of society a great deal of false sentiment imported into the discussion of such matters by some persons, instead of considering the welfare of the human race in general and the good of posterity. We are not now defending the system of paying informers to commit immoral acts, but simply maintaining the necessity for such an Ordinance. It must be remembered that, though it is bad to have licensed dens of vice, it is infinitely worse to have unlicensed places midshipmen of the Bacchanie indulged in the by sailing vessels. all over the Colony where crime and abuses of amusement of placing on their faces the reevery sort can flourish unchecked by official supervision. During the present Admini- | tattoed. stration the unlicensed bouses have, we are informed, increased at an alarming rate, the Governor was held at Government House to owing to the lax manner in which the C. D. Ordinance has been worked. It would be interesting to have some statistics on this members of the community were present, includpoint from the garrison and naval surgeons.

With regard to the last paragraph of the resolution of the City of London Committee, hoping that the Colonial Revenue may in future "be spared the poliution of direct participation in the 'wages of iniquity,' derived from the most immoral and revolting of all_trades," we think the good people labour under the disadvantage of imperfeetly understanding the position of the Colony in that matter. It is true that the receipts from this source did for some years -and very improperly we are free to confess -appear on the estimates, but it can easily present, and it is hoped that a goodly sum will Esq., M.P. be shown that the amount so derived, and more probably, was spent upon the contributing class. Thus, for instance, the maintenance of the Lock Hospital should have come out of it, the salaries of the In- edition has just appeared, says, concerning sixed Dependencies, to enquire into the working of is never lost till it's won," however, held good in spector of Brothels and his assistants, part goods as against pure clothe; -"It is idle to call the Contagious Diseases Ordinance, 1867' to this instance, and Naind holding on without of that of the Registrar-General and one of sized cloth. Luncashire manufacturers must venue accruing from the licenses and the fines. To His Excellency the GOVERNOE be- do this the people of some other nation would the estimates, but its retention was an oversight, and due to no intention to make vice better adapted for many purposes, for which the contribute towards the income of the Colony. If the Ordinance is to remain on the colonial. statute book, the funds for working it should he provided by the class to whom it applies purpose. The City of London Committee would no doubt like to see the Ordinance perial Government would consent to a meafleet on this station. On the contrary, it is more likely to see cause to request a more rigid enforcement of the Ordinance than has prevailed during the last three years.

Ir is estisfactory to note that our hopes relative to action being taken in this Colony to raise a fund towards the relief of the distress in Ireland are about to be realised: A preliminary meeting was hold at Government House on Saturday, when a considerable sum was promised in the room, and a public meeting is called for this afternoon. 6th February, and then sailed for Malacca; an-Although the work has been entered on rather tardily, now that it has been commenced there can be no doubt that Hongkong will be true to its traditional spirit of charity, especially as trade in more prosperous than it has been for several years past and merchants can better afford to let their generous holding weeping Hibernia by the hand and we too must do our part in saving our renow countrymen in Ireland from the sad fate of fine weather; from Manila to port very strong ting on, and as the "dauntlear five" contained a what all yachtimen know goes a great-way in a was declined. St. Paul's College will therefore not be laid on the bed, but be nursed contistarvation which hangs over them and which monsoon and high sea.

can only be averted by the generous contributions of their friends in other parts This is a question which admits of no difference of opinion, but is one on which all whatever their political opinions may be ings of men, women, and children who are feeling the stings of famine in enormous

The delivery of the English Mail was begun at 9.25 on Saturday morning.

It is rumoured (says the Shanghai Courier) appointed Ambassador to Russia.

Weather permitting, a sailing boat race will Suez, a best from the U.S.S. Richmond, Hyder, and Co., but those now under construction—the Nemo, and Daphus. It there is wind enough | C. nada. Constance, and Cordelia-are being the rendezvous flag will be hoisted on the undertaken in Government yards. Hindostan and all competitors will assemble on board at half-past one o'clock, the start to be at two o'clock.

The Hon. James Russell, Colonial Treasurer, left here yesterday by the P. and O. steamer Sunde for Yokohama, en route to England vin himself in rendiness to proceed to Hongkong. San Francisco on leave. A number of his friends. went on board to wish him bon rounge, amongst whom were the Hon. W. Keswick, Hon. Ng Choy, has been conferred upon Walter Williams, chief ELSEWHERE will be found the copy of a re- Major Huskisson, Mesers. Wodebouse, Jackson, and Nelson. Mr. Russell bas acted as Attorney-General during the interruguum between the faction to the community.

The Biltish steamship Kinng-chow, Captain Duporre. Love, which arrived here yesterday, reports left Hollow on 6th March, and had strong breeze from the N.E.; about 4 p.m. whilst passing a junk, saw some signals hung out and a gun fired; bare down upon him, and found he had ost his rudder, took him in tow at 4.45 p.m. and at 7 p.m. auchored at Now-chow. The junk was from Pakhoi, bound to Macao, and was laden oil and oil oake. The hinng-chan laft Now chow at daylight on the 5th, and from thence to port China, vacant by the death of Bishop Russell had strong monsoon and fine weather.

The Mauritius correspondent of the Straits Times says :- It is generally understood here, that the formation of a grand line of French packets between Reunion, Mauritius, Melbourne, Sydney and New Caledonia is under consideration by the Messagaries Maritimes Co. The total length of the voyage between the two extreme ports would Yokohama (via San Francisco) December 12th be 56 days, and the Bourbon' colonists are enthusiastic with regard to the advantages they | Hougkong 17th, Batavia 20th Singapore 24th, would reap from the enterprise. Unfortunately, nowever, it is vet bub a schemo, to ecoure the ealization of which it is believed that a large subsidy from the state would be necessary.

The stories lately current about their Royal Highnesses the sons of the Prince of Wales, now on a cruise in the Bucchante (say a home paper) are untrue. It is not the fact, as has been foolishly asserted, that the young Princes have been tattoord on the nose with an anobor. The tale, when brought home, was received with ing ice in the river at Hamburg has again rapidly the exact time of rounding, but Naind gybed of those about them, would be the best guarantee arriving in the river being forced to go into Cux- of Ariel. All three sent down topsails and against any such absurdity as that which has bayon for shelter. Of the arrivals from the housed topmasts for the long beat up to the that, as when, for instance, on crossing the line from Rangoon; of departures; also, harely one, her nowers in thrashing to windward, but Naiad, certain traditional ceremonies are observed, so on the River-Lagan, Quinn, for Yokohama. The sailing remarkably fast (in spite of having carried presentation of tattoe marks, and their temperary freak has been reported as if they had been really

On Saturday afternoon a meeting convened by to raising a fund in Hongkong towards the relist of the distress in Treland. Most of the Irish ing His Excellency Major-General Donovan, the Hon. E. L. O'Malley (Attorney-General), Hon. Plunket, Mr. Justice Francis, Deputy Inspector-General Breen, Dr. Hartigan, and Messrs. A. Coron, W. H. Brereton, R. D. Starkey, C. V. Greagh, W. H. Messop, J. M. Fleming, R.E., W. Horan, and W. Prestage, It was resolved that a public meeting should be called this afterrelief of the distress in Ireland, the funds col. George Gillett, Esq.; Alexander McArthur, was scarcely "a pin to choose" lected to be sept to the Duchess of Marlborough's Esq., M. P.; Charles Miali, Esq.; C. H. Goode, them, but Naomi just managed to draw column, nearly \$2,000 was subscribed by those be raised in the Colony. The Freemasons have //The Committee have had laid before it, at already, we believe, taken some initial steps towards contributing to the fund.

Mr. William Thompson, F.R.S., the author of his clerks, which would fully absorb the re- produce what the natives of India, China, and would be best for them; and if they object to longs the credit of removing this item from I doubtless, quickly prove themselves less quixotic and more respectful to the free-will liberty of the people. Henvily-sized sloth is undoubtedly natives use it, than the pure cott on fabric, besides being less coatly, and manufucturers are often unitistly accused of adulteration; as a matter of fact, there are few manufacturers who would not much rather make pure cloth, but as there is such a limited demand for that commodity they are but not one cent of the revenue derived from forced by the interests of thomselves and their such a source should be applied to any other | workpeople to supply the requirements of the market. Utopian philanthropists have spoken strongly about heavy sizing as having been the cause of the present unsatisfactory state of the abolished, but it is hardly likely that the Im- | cutton goods trade; heavily-sized cloths are, however, in much greater demand at the present time than pure colleges; and it is more than prosure which could not fail to have a disastrous bable that if monufacturers had not produced effect upon the health of the troops and of the heavily-sized goods Lancashire would never have acquired such an important cotton industry as that which she now possesses."

The paddle despatch ventel Vigilant, 3, Lieumant-Commander Annesley, bearing the flag of Vice Admiral R. Coote, C.B. arrived here on Saturday evening from her tour in the south. Index may some to an end, and with it the disgraceful 28 seconds, she therefore won the first prize with On the 15th January the Vigilant left Hongkong and arrived at Turon on the 17th at five o'clock p.m., leaving again at six o'clock a.m. on the 19th for Saigon, where she arrived at noon on the 21st. After coaling she left the following morning at six o'clock for Bangkok, arriving there at ten o'clock a.m. on the 25th; left there on the 28th at seven o'clock a.m., for Singapore, scriving at sleven o'clock p.m., on the 31st. Remained in Singapore until the afternoon of the choring off that place at eight o'clock the following morning, and left Malacca at noon for the Dindings, whore she arrived at half-past seven on the 8th, and anchored off the month of Larut River, leaving again at half-past seven a.m. the next morning for Penang; remained at Penang until six o'clock on the morning of the 11th, and returned to the mouth of Larut River. At four o'clock on the afternoon of the 12th weighed anchor and proceeded for Singapore feelings base freez play. In a recent number and arrived at six o'clock on the morning of the of Punch is a pathetic picture of Britannia 14th. On the 17th at half-past five o'clock p.m., left for Sourabaya and anchored in Quop auchorage at half-past ten o'clock a.m., on the 20th, saying "You've troubles enough, my poor and left on the same evening for Noakan Bay, sister, without starvation. That I can, and arriving there on the morning of the 23rd at the will, help." In this, the most eastern of Her ten o'clock. At half-past five o'clock the same evening weighed anchor and proceeded to Sanda-Majesty's possessions, although but "a dot kan anchoring there at ten o'clock a.m., on the on the ocean," the pulse of the people, in the 25th, and left the same afternoon for Manila, where the housetop, saw nobody coming; be seemed as face of a great national calamity, beats in remaining until evening of the 3rd instant, left Editor of the Pink'nn say cuesing besides being we too must do our part in saving our fellow Turon Boy misty and foggy weather was ex- get out a newspaper. That Editor never played Naied is unquestionably sailing better than she should be in a position to take charge; but the unison with that of the people at home, and Manila for Hongkong. From Hongkong to wary wicked, is only necessary when you have to

refitted, was not made public, but a fortnight would make him a dangerous man, ago she was heard of at Madeira, so that we may . Dunman and Travers made a long stand for now consider that her sailing qualities have the Club. The former played exceedingly well proved satisfactory, and that she is in a fair way and Travers hit hard but had several narrow to reach her destination. The Comusis one of escapes. Charley's bowling at the finish was ning corrector built of steel, all on precisely the most effective, and had be commenced as he ended same model. Six of these corvettes are fitting the result bught have been very different. for soo, but the other three have not yet left the . In the second innings of the Regiment, Munro

Minister to London and Paris, is about to be also slips. They all bear the same initial letter, and bagged a lot of them in the gloaming. are known as the "C" class. They are unarmoured, and carry no armour-pierciby gans, their music was much appreciated by a great The British steamer Londonn Castle, Captain | unless the pair of seven-ton-weapons on board | multitude of those unhappy people who require Marshall, from Shanghai to London, grounded can be described as such. The rest of the arma- other attractions than the noble game to draw on the Mouse Sand in going up the river Thames, ment consists of sixty-four-pounders, a favourite | them to the ground. Subjoined is the score :but was subsequently not off with assistance of | gan with the navy, and of these each of our steel tugs, and arrived at Gravesend in tow on the corvettes will carry a dozen. The Contus is a Captain Stainforth, b Taxers ... vessel of 2,383 tons, with engines of 2,300-horse Lient Purdue, b Hynes. take place to day between the first and second | The first six corvettes, of which the Comus is outters of the Hindeston, a gig from the steamer one, were built on the Ulyde by Messrs. Elder

> We take the following items from the London and China Express of the 30th January :--Commissary E. Mead, of the Ordnance Store Department, Chatham, has been ordered to hold

The modal for long service and good conduct mner's mate, of the Hart, on the China

It is approunced semi-officially in Paris that a vote of f.10,000,000 will be asked of the Chamber | best-if not the very best-and hardest-fought for probable ontlay in the protectorate of Ton- matches over sailed in Hongkong Rarbour. quin, according to instructions sent to Admiral fresh breeze blowing from the Eastward, with

vember 21 at in regard to the French Minister Bource has fer some years occupied a post in true, who enjoys a spin in a good breeze, but the Indo-China, China and Japan department of the Ministère des Affaires Etrangeres at Paris. . infernal mails." looked longingly at the bonts He will proceed by the French mail of April 2nd.

We understand that the bishopric of Northern will be subdivided into two dicosses, one of which will be administered by the Rev. A. Moule, and the other by the Rev. Canon Scott. The Rev. A. Warren, Vioar of Ightfield, Salop, has accepted the post of chaplain at Foochow, and will leave shortly for his new sphere of labour.

The latest mail advices received home wore: Shanghai 12th, Manila 13th, Foochow 14th Galle January 1st. The P. and O. mail, with the advices from China and Straits Settlements. dated as above, was delivored, vid Brindisi, on the 22nd instant, and the advices from Japan. vid San Francisco, on the 19th instant. Messageries Maritimes, steamer Ozus arrived at Naples at three a.m. on the 29th, and landed the next inward mail, which is expected in London out, and she had to take in her light stuff to save

well-deserved incredulity, and it was felt that increased, and shipping, therefore, is once more round the boat about half a minute ahead of their own common sense, not less than the care confined to steamers, all the sailing vessels | Naomi and about two and a half minutes ahead obtained an unmerited currency. The truth is East we can name but one, the Olga, Benetti, Channel Rocks, and Nuomi soon began to show first touching at a great port other harmless berth for the Far East is occupied by the Cas- away the jaws of her gaff) did well with her all freaks are often indulged in, and the identical jamira, steamship, Langer, for the usual route; the way, and and coming out of Regatta Bay experience of the Princes has been undergone Martha II., Goenner, for Singapore; Hansa, on the port tack, had closed the gap between by H.R.H. the Dake of Edinburgh, Count Doneken, for Hongkong; and Johanna, for same them considerably when they crossed each other destination. Rates of freight are ruling very near Kellett's Island. Ariel went inside Stoneroyal or not. Accordingly, at Gibraltar the low, and almost every offer is accepted, especially Cutter's Island, and at one time looked dangarous.

> THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES ORDINANCE COMMISSION.

The following document has been forward to us by the Government for publication :-

69 Resinchall street, London, EC., 30th January, 1880. The Chamberlain of London presents his compliments to itis Excellency the Governor of M.P. (Chairman); Sir Thomas Chambers, Q.C. M.P., Recorder of London Sir Charles Reed. M.P.; Sir Francis' Lycett, Knt.; William the Bowen Naiad drew past Naomi McArthur, Esq., Alderman, M.P., Samuel D.

Correspondence. Returns, &c., &c."

deport and the evidence upon which it is based, and

esty possesses public servants who impelled by a sense of right and instice, have not shrunk from exposing the organized iniquity disclosed by the Report. which some would have been tempted to concoal be-

cause of its intrinsic leathsomeness. "His Excellency the Governor, in particular, As sorves the grateful naknowledgments of all who value

clared it incompatible with British freedom. of their children into the most horrible of all sorvi- she also flew past the mark, and having to receive sanction and connivence hitherto afforded to the prac- 10% seconds in hand. Ariel had again taken the tice by the direct "licence" of British Governmental authority, the inspection of British Medical Officers. and the provision out of the Colonial Treasury of

funds for bribes and rewards for the commission of "This Committee further ventures to anticipate that by reason of the action taken by His Excellency the Colonial Revenues may in future be spared the pollution of direct participation in the 'wages of ini-quity' derived from the most immoral and revolting of all trades—derogatory to a heathen nation, but on Christian principles.

Resolved— That the above resolution when signed

by the Chairman, Treasurer, and Honorary Sours. nessy, C.M.C., Governor of Hongkong." (Signed) SAMURL MORLEY, Chmirman; R.C. L. BBYAN, Trensuror;

BENJAMIN SCOTT, Honorary Secretary

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB V. THE 27TH

Garrison was played on Esturday with the remait shown below. At the appointed time the gallant Innishillings were "waiting to be at em," but five only of the Olub having turned up it seemed impossible to begin; the Secretary wandered to all corners of the ground, but, like Sister Appe on

The Daily News says :- The Comun frigate, was determined to impress the ole 'men and three prizes his sesson. Aviel on the other hand has own Mission is too recent to supply material for Srd and 12th are specially observed by Chinese) now on her way to China, will be a valuable ad of his morry men and make a beginning, hoping been most unfortunate, but this same luck of training. The only other course open to it, and friends dip their hands in coloured water dition to the station, for like all her sisters she that if no more stoamers arrived the other men which we spoke may turn, and who knows but namely, receiving nither heathen youths or has been designed chiefly for speed. In a word, would drop in in the course of the afternoon, that the late "may become the Christian youths belonging to non-Epiecopalian our steel corvettes are destined to take the place. The substitutes being warranted not to enteh "forturate." At least we will hope so. Naomi Missions, is highly unsatisfactory, save in most of the frigates of old, and supply us with quick anything, the Long un was obliged to pull out has not this season met with her usual reward, exeptional cases. ornisers, to protect our commerce and look after, some of his very best, which are had to stop, and but these shiftings of luck help to keep the sport 5.—The Schoolmaster employed in Hongkong las it would be unlucky for Mrs. B. to nurse M are bound as men of feeling to unite toge- light-heeled enemies, like those which troubled the Secretary supplying some "good ordinary," alive, and if only on that account are, perhaps, has had a large and flourishing School under his ther for the time being to assuage the suffer. the Federal Government during the last Ameri- between them they disposed of their adversaries. not to be regretted, and Naomi can well afford charge during the whole year. At the close of can war. The actual sailing of the Comus, after Charley, as usual, batted well, and it Purdon would to see others win occasionally when she looks the year it passed a most satisfactory examinaputting back to Sheerness to have her magazine play with a straighter bat his freedom of hitting upon her past successes.

During the afternoon the Band performed and

b Munru .. c and b Munro..... Mr. S. M. Munro, b Tunnard 24 | Mr. H. P. Wodehouse, e Good-Mr. W. Dunning, c Stainforth; ..

YAOHT RACE

The yacht race on Saturday was one of every sign of its helding, the sun shining brightly over the crisp, sparkling wavelets, and just nicely tempering what would otherwise have been a cold day on the water, made it a charming Peking has been published officially. M. day for a yacht race, and many a good man and who was on Saturday tied to his desk by those as they lay at the starting place, and "cassed" the office and " all its works."

The course was from the Coalsheds, Kowloon to a mark off Cow-e-chow, thence to the Channe Rooks in the Ly-es-moon, hack to Cow-e-chow. and finish at the Pacific Mail Steamship Co." moy -28 miles. The yaohts and statious were-

1-Mr. MoLood's Naind 2-Mr. H. Dickie's Ariel 13 tons. 3-Mr. W. H. Forbes' Naomi ... 30 tons. Naomi allowed Naiad 28 seconds and Ari

At 10h, 10m, the signal was given to go, at Ariel and Naiad were round and off "in a jiffy. Naomi hanging a little, but once fairly pointed there was not much to choose between thom. All ourried jib headed topsvils, ring-tails, double spinuakers and water-sails, and it was a protty sight to see them tearing through the water under such a cloud of white cauvas. On the way down. the iron-work of Ariol's tonmast-backstay gave the mast, but she still held on to her oppo-In consequence of the returned frosts the float- at the Cow-e-chow mark. We could not take but there was a good piece of blue water between her and Naiad when they crossed each other Kearing the Rocks the two leaders got tonmusts on end, and set jib-headed topsails, Ariel contenting herself with sending up her topmast, and Naiad soon showed that she had gained on Naoni a bit in the beat. The Rooks were rounded-

Naind set a ring-tail as she rounded and had her Hongkong and has the honour to forward to him | double spinnakers boom-ended quickly, but Naomi the enclosed copy of a resolution of the City of was not quite so smart, and this, added to the London Committee, viz. - Samuel Morley, Esq. | eccentricities of her outer spinnakor, which persisted in trying to get ever the topmast head. let up Naind commiterably, for timing the pair as Knt. L.L.D., F.S.A., Chairman of School Board they flew past the Richmond we found only for London; Sir Andrew Luck, Bart, Alderman, eleven seconds between them, and abreast of took the lead once more. Running down for noon at 4 o'clock to obtain subscriptions for the Waddy, Esq., Q.C., M.P.; Samuel Gurney, Esq.; the Cow-schow mark the second time there Committee, that a local Committee representing | Esq.; John Holms, Esq., M.P.; the Reverend | the front as they neared the mark and rounded the principal interests in the community should | Canon Stunley Leathes, M.A.; Charles H. about half a minute ahead. Ariel had all this be formed, and that Mr. Jackson be requested to Hopwood, Esq., Q.C., M.P.; G. H. Chubb, Esq.; time been running, without a topsail or spinnakers not as Hon. Secretary and Treasurer pro tem. As J. J. Colman, Esq., M.P.; Rev. Edwin A. Abbott, but had to be content with a balleon-jib set from will be seen by the advertisement in another | D.D., Head Master of City of London School; | the lowermast-head, a ring-tail and a watersall. William Payne, Esq.; Adolphus W. Young, and this long run without her big "drivers" was a torrible misfortune to the poor little boat. We could not not her time at the Cow-e-chow Incotings of the 9th and 23rd January, 1880, mark, but when we next caught sight of the respectively, the "Report of the Commissioners | three beating back, she was a long way astern appointed by His Excellency John Pope Hen- Naied and Naomi were close together, but Naomi nessy, C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in- was a good bit to windward and looked like "The sizing of cotton goods," of which a second Chief of the Colony of Hongkong and its winning "hands down." I'm old saw, "a race gether with the appendix containing minutes of breaking tasks, stood inside Stonecutter's Island, evidence taken before the Commission, Official whilst Naomi went about, taking the harbour for it, thinking to get more wind, but the wind The said Commission was appointed by His favouring Naiad, the lay right in to the villago Excellency on the 12th November, 1877; the beyond the Cosmopolitan Dock, and going about, Commissioners sat and took evidence during the could head for the mark if the breeze would only years 1877 and 1878 and the above report and bold true. Naomi had in the meantime been evidence was printed by the Government Printers | sailing very fast, and as she stood into Regatta Bay it became evident that the finish would be Resolved unanimously-" That this Committee re- very excitingly close. She held on until she gards with the nimost pain and astonishment the said | could fetch the mask, when she went about, good bit to leeward of Naiad's course, and both had it not been for the official manetion under which boats were now lying down to it and tearing velation possible in reference to any Colony under slong, lee-rails awash; but Naiad's windward position gave her a trifle the best of it, as Naomi "Participating in the disgrace which attaches to had to be "gilled along "sometimes to make sure every British subject from National Association with of fetching the buoy, whilst Naiad was sailed a good clean full, and this made just the difference. Nearing the winning mark, Naiad began to draw up, and now it became a question of seconds.

but as the two houts meed past the bows of the American ship Sumatra, only a few lengths reparated them, and with 28 to receive it became almost a sure thing for liberty, parity, humanity, and the righteons admini- Naind. A smart rally coming over the Kowloon shore hove Naomi well over as she neared the This Committee trusts that he may be spared to mark, and she shot along at a great pace, but the witness the entire abolition of slavery in the Colony, same breeze catching Naiad, she was sailed ram-now that His Honour Chief Justice Smale has de ping full for the buoy, and although Naousi "With the fall of that hateful institution, the Com. orossed the line ahead. Naind was too close, and is encouraged to hope that the sale by parents there was an interval of 173 seconds only bafers inside Stonecutter's Island passage, and went about at the head of the bay for the mark just as the other two had passed the line, and sailing remarkably well arrived at the buny 164 minutes astern of Naomi. Deducting her time allowance of 11m. 23eec. she was therefore beaten by 5m. 7s. only. The two winning boats undoubtedly sailed well; the time proves that, for the course measures 28 miles straight, and with the long doubly diegracoful to one professing to be governed beat to windward they must have travelled over something like 37 miles of water in a little over four hours and a half; an average speed of 8 miles tary be forwarded to His Excellency John Pope Hon- an hour, but the performance of Ariel was certainly the best, as she would no doubt have been well within her time at the finish if she had not met with the medient to her gear. The unfortunate mishap is much to be regretted, as the little boat stood a good chance of winning, but we still think that with a little "sailorizing" a make-shift preventer tapmast backstoy might have been fitted, and in such "fixes" the handi The annual match against the Regiment in proved. In saying this, we may not know all the circumstances, and we only hint the possibility of repairing the damage, but certainly the

of the yachte passing the winning line are-

topmest was on sud, and we are inclined to think

that a racing skipper at home would have had

some sail set on it "somehow." The official times

DYNAMITE AS AN EXPLOSIVE PURTHER EXPERIMENTS ON STONEGUTTER

carried out on Saturday afternoon last at Stonecutter's Island, in the presence of Major Papillon and Lieutenant Friend, R.E., Hon. Ng Choy, Rose, J. Inglis, F. Barff, R. Innes, McConnell. Eaton, Sampson, Speechly, Leatherbarrow, Woo Lin Yune, a few ladies, and a large number of Chinese merchants and traders.

The experiments were made under the super- pressure of other work. The entire Prayer nany (Limited). The main experiment of the for general use, not merely in whatever Mission day was made upon two large boulders on a hill may beconfier be begun in connection with the on the west end of the island. For this purpose College, but throughout Chins. There is an a charge of 50lbs, of dynamite was placed about English Profess to this Edition which; though four foot beneath each boulder. These charges addressed chiefly to Missionaries in China, may having on this occasion been properly detonated. | yet explain to those unacquainted with Chinese. were fired by the dyno-electric battery with the principles on which the traslation is made. thedebris and earth flying about in all directions. though only the cost of the blooks appears in The weight of to boulders was about 100 tons. the present financial statement. It is hopped strength as an explosive. Mr. Reid put a light to a cartridge of dynamite, which he hold in his band; afterwards a cartridge was fired by means of a detonator, which alone avails for the purpose, and the dynamite exploded with no other effect than a loud report. In order to prove the innoouousness of dynamite, even under violent conoussion, a box, containing 20lbs, was placed under the apex of a pair of sheer poles, from which a block of iron of about 20wt, was suddenly dropped upon it, a fall of about forty feet. The only effect was to crash the box and flatten the cartridges; but there was no explosion, nor did the dynamite ignite. The same dynamite was used in instantaneously cutting in two a thick wire rope. The direction of the force resulting from explosion was finely illustrated by throwing a charge of 10lbs, into the water, and the force generated in the explosion was seen to be almost expended upwards and downwards-it shook the island very much, and it impelled a large column of water straight up with the air a considerable distance. Two experiments were made on large rocks, estimated in each case to weigh about seven tons. In each

were split into a considerable number of small pieces. Scarcely any fumes were generated by the different explosions. Dynamita is beyond all question the most owerful blusting agent used, and no other at resent known excels it in point of safety, as was Hinstrated on Saturday, a box or package of lynamite may be thrown from any height or sustain any amount of shock without explosion. and yet a few ounces of this dynamite, properly exploded, will shatter the heaviest rocks. Dyna. mits was invented by Mr. Alfred Nobel, and the manufacture is carried on in Scotland under Go. vernment inspection. It is composed of 75 parts by weight of roffned nitro-gycerine, uniformly mixed with 25 parts of an infusorial earth called Kleselguir, and is a plastic substance, somewhat like glazier's putty, when soft and fit for use. The detonators are specially made for exploding dynamite. They are one juck long, and a quarter of an inch wide; and made for fitting on the fuse. When the dynamite is used in water the water is turned into bteam by the intense heat of the

case the dynamite was laid on the surface of the

ook, covered with a little clay, and then fired

by means of a fuse. The result was the rocks

explosion-over 6,000 degrees Fah. The whole of those present on Saturday appeared highly pleased with the experiments so successfully carried out, and returned to Hong-Kong in a steam launch-provided by the Borne Company after spending a vory pleasant and instructive afternoon.

HONGKONG.

The following is the Report for 1879 :-1. The strength of St. Paul's College and Musion during either the whole or part of the year 1879, consisted of :- 1 Chaptain and Tutor: 2 Tenchers to assist in Translational work and in learning Chinese: 1 Catechist employed for the greater part of the year in Pakhoi; 3 Chinese students : 1 Australian student : 1 Schoolmaster in Grant-in-aid School in Hongkong:

Schoolmaster in the Pakhoi Mission. 2.-Long as the College has been in existence, it is only recently that it has had any missionary work of its own going on in connection with with suitable Native Students to train either as close of 1878; Catechists or Clergy. But the Bishop has hitherto been without a Collongue, and his engagements are of such a nature as to interfere with any regular course of training and teaching. He is constantly liable to interruptions of all kinds, simply because he is Bishop. And in any mse no man, whatever his position, can work a Mission in all its necessary branches singlethat the Bishop is able to announce that he has been joined by the Rev. W. L. Groves, B.A., of Tutor. If suitable English students should present : themselves, he will : undertake their training for the Ministry. In the meantime he new station opened at a place called Kwonghoi, on the sex coast, a little to the West of Macao, difficulty of access to Pakhoi, the poucisy of Missionary agents, and a popular excitement against Christianity which at one time threatened even the lives of the Catechist and his family residing there, led to the abandoument of this station, it is hoped however only for a time. 4 .- There have been altogether four students in the College during the whole or a part of the year, three Chinese, and one young man from Law," p. 35.1 Australia strongly recommended by the Dean of Melbourne. One of the Chinese Students was received on trial at the beginning of the year, in the hope that, being a Christian and haring been connected with the Day School proviously hold in the College, he might be as he had already some acquaintance with English

at entrance, he preferred at the close of the year tion at Kwonghoi to work the Mission there together. The Australian student was found to be quite unfit to stand a tropical climate. He had come to Hongkong from Melbourne without jon, and a short time after his arrival here it was found that continuance in this part of China would most probably only entail suffering on medical miviaer of the College, he returned to Melbourne in January, 1880. This was a great disappointment to all. He had paid his own back to Australia cost the College \$200. As the Gollege is in consequence of these

charge here for two or three of the more advanced of the nine students at present residing the new Training Institution belonging to that Beciety, orected within the last year help of contributions raised from residents in Hongkong. The offer to receive students from children are in many respects similar to those the present moment the C. M. S. Mission is used to ward off evil spirits, as e.g. a horse shoe sorely erippled in its staff, and the Bishop not merely promised to support them while in the bound with cloth, which must not be white, College, but also offered so to arrange his time placed under the pillow of the infant, a bible and engagements as to ensure his own personal put in a bag and laid by it or on its breast, and superintendence and teaching until Mr. Groves

tion with the Government Inspector in general anbiects and with the Bishop in Holy Scripture. All the boys presented to the Government Ins-Inspector bestowed high praise on the discipline of the school and the efficiency of the Master. The grant, when received, will cover a large porthe general purposes of the Mission, a new school of the same kind is to be opened not far

tion during the last year. 6.-Translation into Chinese has been carried on during the year though under considerable

great success. The first boulder was split to The work has been done on Chinese Blocks at meses and thrown down a ravine by the side to- Canton and the cost of the blocks and paper, printgether with some tons of earth. The second ing and binding of the first 500 copies amounts boulder was actually blown up in the air and split. to \$527, most of which has already been paid, aland over 500 tons of earth were dislodged. The that the S. P. C. K. will give some substantial time through a window forebodes the breaking spectators then proceeded down the little to a help towards meeting this serious expense. of certain articles. If a looking-glass-gets, piece of flat ground to witness some experiments, Direct application for help went home by last designed firstly, to show the harmlessness of mail. Copies of this edition may be had for broken it is in harhinger of evil. So among the dynamite as cargo, and secondly to manifest its mere cost of paper, printing, and binding by ap- Jews, who say seven years of ill fortune will plication to Bev. W. L. Groves. 7.- The staff for the year 1880 will consist o

the Chaplain, two Teachers (one of these being the Catechist employed in Pakhoi last year) two School masters, and two Cateobists in the Kwonghoi station. Mr. Groves will be almost wholly occupied in the study of Chinese. The schools in be broken in the house of the intending groom, Hongkong and the station on the mainland will be worked with a view of obtaining suitable students for the College, indeed they are the however great the attachment which exists only means now left to the College of obtaining | between the young couple, the marriage would Native students. The Bishop will probably be inevitably be attended with misfortune. To where two or three Catechists are desiring ordination. The remainder of his time will be calamity, regarded as it is at all times as an given in Hongkong principally to the work of omen of svil. Translation and preparation of much needed Christian text books.

very unsatisfactory. The Bishop is responsible those who in anonymous letters were accused of for salaries, rent of Schoolmoms and Mission house on mainland, travelling expenses of Missionary Agents, purchase and printing Books, test them by making them offer wine and incense College and Mission Servants. to the extent of to the statues of the gods and the bust of the emshout \$200 a month. In addition to those which are mostly ordinary monthly items, a large sum is always annually needed to keep the College. Residence of the Bishop, and the College Gardens' Honses in repair. To meet all this the only certain income is the rent of the two Houses amounting to \$155 monthly. A Government grant for the Sphools appording to the results that they achieve and douations from private friends are the only relieuce outside of the rent. A few friends Statues de nos Divinitez; ils se sont même emhave been kind enough to assist last year, and to them all, especially two who have subscribed so liberally, the Bishop is most grateful. At the beginning of the present year (1880) \$100 were granted to his Mission at the division then made f three months' offertories at the Cathedral, for which also the Bishop returns his thank. This sum will appear in the Financial Statement of Donations from friends are again earnestly solicited. There is, it must be admitted, of temples and mosques in Canton. Speaking but little to show in connection with this of the Mohammedan mosque in Canton, he tells that time and means and men are needed for the healthy growth of any undertaking. The attempt to give St. Paul's College a really Missionary character has only recently been begun, and it had to be brought even to its

its buildings as far as possible on behalf of his fellow countrymen, by giving free quarters to ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE AND MISSION, rooms for the education of the sons of European as it is enjoined that in each Buildhist and Public School which was opened on the 1st of January, is held in the College and quarters are appointed a Committee for its management of nots of a similar nature to the above. which the Bishop is Chairman. The union of European and Chinese work in St. Paul's College, both under the superintendence of the Bishop, is significant of the twofold character which the Bishop here ought to have. It will that Mr. Kidd's Chaplainoy School, the immediate presureer of the Public School, was assisted by the passing over to it the grant for 1878 in aid of the Anglo-Chinese day school formerly this way the College may be in time previded held in St. Paul's College and given up at the burned incense unto all the heat of heaven, and

I S. Burnon, Bishop of Victoria. St. Paul's College, Hongkong, 27th Feb., 188

CHIPS FROM MANY BLOCKS.

As certain classes of Chinese are unable enjoy the jus civitatis, " which, however consists handed. It is therefore with much thankfulness of little else than the right to compete at the public examinations and thus obtain civil office," Pembroke College, Cambridge, who arrived in so in the Mishna, we are informed that the dicer, Hongkong on the lat of November to occupy | usurer, pigeon flyer, or dealer in the produce of the position of Bishop's Chaplain and College the Sabtatical year was disqualified for membership of the Sanhedrin. The Jews early required that for filling civil offices there should be prowill apply himself to the study of Chinese so as vided "out of all the people (not from the nobility to be fitted to receive and train Native Students. | merely, but as in China) able men, such as four 3.—Pakhoi has been temporarily given up and God, men of truth, hating covetousness," who should "judge the people at all seasons." But Duke, was charged with being drunk and assaultbetween which and Hongkong there is constant in the Gemera, and in later Jewish writers, we communication by Native Passage Boats. The find that, besides these qualifications a candidate must be free from every physical blemish, stainless in character, learned in science, acquainted with more than one language, and with a family lukong, in default four days imprisonment, of his own, because such were supposed to be less inclined to cruelty. Of. Farrar's "Life of drunk and incapable in Queen's-road Contral-

We referred in a former "Chip" to the fact that the Chinese are fond of the blood of certain kinds of animals. So "the blood" was, accorded day ing to Homer and Ovid, a special delicacy to the willing to give himself to Missionary work; but heathen of their day. But the Jews and some other heathen nations regarded the esting of the blood, which they considered to be the very life,post. The other two Chinese students (one of as an indefinable horror. "But flesh with the with hard labour. whom has been in the College for the last five life thereof, which is the blood thereof, shall ye years) are just about to proceed to the new sta- net eat," was the early command, followed by "Ye shall can the blood of no manner of flesh, for the life of all flesh is the blood theroof, whoscever eateth it shall be cut off." So too the first submitting himself to a Medical examina. Koran, Sur. V. 4. This restriction involved, says Farrar, a most inconvenient necessity for never eating any meat but Kosher (Kashar, "is himself and expense on the College. On the lawful, clean," Katharon), or meat prepared very desided recommendation therefore of the Jewish butshers in special accordance with the laws of alanghtering. Meat thus pronounced legally clean is stamped with a leaden seal, on passage to Hangkong, and he also paid a third which is the word Kashar. We have ourselves of his return passage, but his two months' stay seen this leaden tablet or seal on joints of mest Hougkong and the remainder of his passage in Jowish shops, and are furthermore informed that in this colony a Jew is employed to sky movements without students, application was cattle for his follow-countrymen, in order that made to the Senier C. M. S. Missionary in it may be clean and free from blood. We have stready remarked on some of the

superstitions of the Jowe, and may here add that their customs connected with new born a chain with an appendage strung around its couple of howlers, a change, and a longstop, it rade-luck has given her the lion's share of the present without students, as its musly. Feasts take place on certain days (the as the lawful Sovereign.

and daub the walls to keep off the evil eye. Wo may here observe that some Chiques will not allow children of about the same age to exchange breasts, A,'s baby whilst her own child was living.

Donnys, in his " Folklore of China," p. 52, tells of a missionary travelling in the Canton province who was asked to spit in the hand of a person as peotor but one passed the examination, and the a charm against evil. Krankel notices the ourious fact that the evil omen of epilepsy was averted by spitting. Hence Plantes calls it the A number of experiments with dynamite were tion of the expenses of the school marked this morbus qui sputatur. He connects this with year against the College. In order to assist in the words of St. Paul, "My temptation (which some suppose to have been epilepsy) which was Mossies. A. Coxon, Fullerton, Hondorson, T. I. from the College, which it is hoped will turn in my fiesh ya despised not, nor rejected," as out as efficient as that which has been in opera- though the words ouds exeptugate meant " neither did ye spit," i.e. as a sign of your superstitious fear. We merely refer to this as another instance of the widespread belief in the efficacy of spittle. vision of Mr. J. Reid, of Nobel's Explosive Com- Book has been brought out in a style adapted In England it is usual for a man to spit on his first earnings " for luck" as he expresses it.

Just as in England someors or knives must be paid for by the receiver of such articles as a present, to prevent them "cutting the love asunder," so if the Chinese give a cat or dog away the recipient returns an earthenware pot with the lai shi inside to prevent ill luck. The pot is first sprinkled inside with sugar.

In England, to see the new moon for the first follow. The Chinese have a similar dread of breaking a looking-glass. Moreover, when negotiations for marriage are being carried out." we are informed that if during the S. days which succeed the "asking of names," anything should the ceremonies cease, it being thought that spill the oil at such a time would also be a sad

Pliny, in a passage of his famous letter to 8.—The financial condition of the College is Trajan from Bithynia, says that, in questioning being "Christians." he thought it sufficient to peror, and if they did this he dismissed them without further inquiry. Not having the original by me, I quote from an old translation made in 1702 in which we read " Ils ont en ma presence et dans les termes que je leur prescrivois, invoqué les Dieux, et effert de l'enceue et du vin à votre Image, que j'avois fait aperter exprés avec les porter on imprecations contre Christ. C'est à quoi, dit-on, l'on ne pant jamais forcer ceux. qui sont veritables Chrétiens." The English translation is from Farrar (" Life of Paul." I. 175,) and is here introduced in order that we may compare a similar fact recorded by Archdoneon Gray, and noticed by most visitors us that "On the north side of the nave there is placed an altar above which stands a greek tablet of wood. This is the imperial tablet, and upon it is the following inscription-"May the sovereign roign a myriad years, a myriad times a myriad years," (of, a former " Ohip," also China Review, 9.—While St. Paul's College has been esta. 1879, p. 61). Before this tablet incense is burned, blished mainly for the training of students for and to it adoration is paid. This idelatrons Missionary work, the Bishop is glad to utilize act is in itself enough to bring the spirit of Mahamet from the world of shades. Chaplains when necessary, and by providing is one, nevertheless, to which they must conform, parauta residing in the Colony. The Hongrong Tauist monastery and in each Mahomedan mesone an imperial tablet shall be placed and given to the Head Master. The expenses of this | honoured." We have already shown that the school are borne by the Community, who have Roman and Chinese Emperors performed other

There is a festival observed by the Chinese in the 8th month, when people, especially femiles go up on to the roofs of the houses to pray to be noticed by reference to the financial statement; the moon. In olden times house-tops were in other lands the common scenes of idel and nature worship. Thus we read of a prophecy against "all the houses upon whose suofe they have have poured out drink-offerings unto other gods," and against "them that worship the host of heaven upon the house-tops." So Peter want up to the roof to pray, and it is possible that the call of the muezzin from the turret of the mosque is but the legitimate offspring of this once widely observed Oriental custom. Even the pointed roofs of Chinese houses are provided with stops by means of which persons can ascend them at pleasure for this and other purposes.

> POLICE COURT BEFORE-C. V. CREAGH. ESO. DRUNKENNESS

Thomas Collins, a seaman on H.M.S. Iron ing the police in the execution of their duties. -The prisoner was lying at the foot of Ludderstreet, drunk, and on getting him into a chair be gave the constable a blow outting his mouth.-Fined \$1 and ordered to pay half-a-dollar to the Patrick Whelim and John Condon, marines on H.M.S. Iron Duke, were charged with being

Paul," 1. 170; Parker's "Comp. Chinese Family Fined half-a-dollar each. STEALING WOOD. Cheeng Akwai and Chu Asing were charged with stealing four bundles of firewood, value twenty cents, from the Sam Yik wood shop Gilman's Bazaar, about two o'clock the previous

The first prisoner said he only took one bundle soper said he was little drunk, and on hearing the pry of "thick" ran away. Sentenced to four weeks imprisonment each

Chun Asing was charged by Police Sergeaut Honnessy with breaking and entering an empty

house for a supposed unlawful purpose. Frominformation received, Sergeant Hennessy went to No. 23, Queen's road West, which house is unoccupied, about eleven c'olook the previous night. The front door was looked on the outside, but there was a light moving within. The sergeant forced the door open and found the prisoner croucking down near the door. The prisoner showed how he got into the house by lifting the door spindle from its socket when he could crawl

Convicted as a rogue and vagabond, and sentenced to three mouths' imprisonment with hard SERIOUS CHARGE.

Chu Chong Tong, a shopman, was charged with stealing notes, silver, and broken silver, value \$559.70, the property of one Ho Wai Nam, an accountant, on or about the 30th December,

The defendant was now committed for trial at the criminal session of the Supreme Court

The new French Minister of War, General Farre, has dismised five generals from their that institution seemed populiarly fitting, as at observed by the Chinese. Charms are freely appointments in connexion with that department, and has replaced them by other officers of pronounced Republican opinions. In ponsequence of disturbances at the Samoan Islands, the captain of the 12-gan corvette Emerald has been instructed to act in concert with the Garman ship Albalrose and the United

States man-of-war Lack second, in upholding neck. On the fifth night a Jewish child should the authority of King Malietoa, who has been

CABUL, February 7th, clans have given their adhesion to it.

CABUL, February 9th.

have come in, and will be received in durbar by coast, was then visited, and the commercial in-General Bright. Asmatoollah Khan, with the torests of that port thoroughly examined by the three other Ghilzai chiefs, are all of any note Commedore, and, we may here add, that this was who romain out.

been ordered to Teheran.

degress of frost were registered at Sherpur. A sisting of two Englishmen-one of whom is well duily ration has been reduced to twelve ounces. dis without, unfortunately, a definite settlement Tinned soup is served out to compensate for the being arrived at.

brother of Mir Bacha, came in on the previous bidden to the West Coast and its dusky index. Mushki Alum is said to have refused to habitants, old men and matrons, maidens and join in another rising. From Arghandeh all is warriors. Fernando Po was touched at for coal, reported quiet, and supplies are being brought for and the Gaboon River was then entered, and the for LIFE INSURANCE in China. sale towards Kabul. On the 9th a kufila was ship anchored in the harbour of Free Town, plundered at Tanji Agbjan by Gul Alum, one where the United States Consulate was duly of the malcontant leaders. The kafila consisted | examined by the Commodore. The next place of camels lades with flour for Kabul Mulla | the Americans honoured with their presonce was Khalil is stated at present to be keeping quiet. Kabinda—Stanley's old camping gound—60 miles. Most of the chiefs who attended General north of the mouth of the Congo: Here the re-Bright's durbar have returned to their homes. Istions existing between the different tribes were Arrangements are being made with the twenty duly inquired into. Banana, seven miles from Khel Maleks for the restoration of the property the month of the Congo, on its right bank, stolen from Jellalabad. Socurity will be taken a Dutch trading part, was reached May 27th. for their future good behaviour. Since the ar. Here the surveying officers made an expedirival of our forces at Lughman, the robberies in tion to a point 45 miles up the river to visit Jellalabad district have seased entirely. . *

that the precontions taken against raiding in affair was thoroughly investigated, and a promise North Cachar are sufficient. A force is to go of good behaviour secured from the leading chiefs, round by Kuki country to Paplongma as a check and should the promise not be strictly kept the to the Anjamis.

been made to enable reinforcements to arrive. will be greatly benefited by their stay in our Tahir Khan, the head of a considerable force now healthy climate. at Maidau, is reported to be acting in concert with view to joining attack on the British; Sirder Muhammad Hussan Khan with Gholam Hyder Khan is in the Logar Valley, busy recruiting with a view to joining Muhammad Jan Mir Batcha Shah has arrived at Sagar, two marches on this side of Khalum, with 2,000 horse and three guns. One bundred and forty-one bales of warm clothing, intended for the troops at Kabal, have been captured by the enemy during the transit of stores between Gundamnek and Jugdulluk. A number of soldiers, said to being to the ex-Ameer's army, fully equipped and accoutred, but unarmed, are proceeding to Baraki Rajah in Logar from Charden. Muhammad Jan is reported to be hard pressed by the Hozaras at Guzui.

ALLAHABAD 126h February. Mir Secundra Shah, brother of Mir Butcha, paid his respects to General Roberts on Sunday evening. This is not an indication of the submission of Mir Butchs, as there is a feud between the brothers. The report that the Maidan Road is open requires confirmation.

London 6th February, Homeward Mail from Galle 28th January arrived at Brindisi on 15th. Consols, 981. 5 per Rentes, 1151. Bar Silver, 521 to.3. LONDON, 17th February.

The House of Commons last night negatived by a large majority, an amendment to the Bill for the relief of the Irish distress, to the effect that money should be advanced from the Imperial Treasury instead of from the Church Surplus. Consols, 9-4. 5 per Cent. Rentes, 1154. Bar Silver, 521. Four per Cent., 77% Four and half per Cent: 843. Exchange Paris on London,

St. Petershung, 18th February. It has been ascertained that the mine under the Winter Palace was charged with dynamite and gan cotton , the train by which it was fired has been traced to a cellar where fuel was stored. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$75 per The Nepaul, with the mails of the 16th inst. sailed for Bombay at ten this morning,

CRUISE OF THE "TICONDEROGA" ON THE AFRICAN COAST.

The following narrative of the cruise of the Ticonderoga is token from the Cape Town Stan- Sales on MARCH 6TH, AS REPORTED BY

dard of the 9th August, 1879 :-The Ticonderoga left Hampton Roads, U.S. December 7th, 1878; arriving at Funchal, Madeira, December 24th, having had a very tempestuous passage. After a stay of six days weighed anchor, and made for Porte Grande. Cape de Verde Islands; arriving at that place January 5th, 1879. Coals and provisions having been taken on board, the ships's head was turned to the southward once more, and touching at Porte Praya, arrived at Sierra Leone, the first African Station, January 15th. Here arrange. ments were made by Commodore Shufeldt for the commission on the north-west boundary ques. tion between the Republic of Liberia and the English possessions lying to the northward, While at Sierra Leoue the different officers com. menced the special work alloted them, and just ners, we may remark, that the officers ordered to the Ticondaraga have been chosen by the Navy Department on account of their peculiar fitness for the several duties they are called upon to perform.

We regret to learn that at first the English

authorities manifested a tendency to throw ob-

stacles in the way of Commedere Shufeldt, and in consequence, some little delay was caused in acquiring the information wanted. However when the objects of the American Expedition became more fully known, the authorities dropped 21st, and Penang 26th and Singapore 28th any little jealous feeling they might have entertained at the start; and aided the Commodors and his officers as much as they conveniently could. On February 17th the cruise was resumed touching at Soolyman and Robert's Bay, Cape Mount, At the latter place a hydrographic sketch of the harbour was made, and forwarded -Mushk-i-Alam-is said to have drawn up a fresh to the Navy Department, Washington, This paper, calling on the people to join in fresh was the first purely scientific work done since hostilities. Some of the Kohistani and Chilzai leaving the United States, and at this point the base was established for the future survey The young Ameer, Musa Jan, has been so of the north-west boundary line, which upon the bullied by Sirdar Mahommed Jan and other return of the ship was completed. Monrovia chiefe at Chuzui, that he has written to his was reached February 21st, and while at that mother at Cabul, appealing to ber to release him delectable port the first expedition into the interior for the survey of the St. Paul River was Yakoob Khan's wife is much affected, and re- sent out, and a series of levels run along it grets now that she acquiesced in the boy's ab- northern bank into the Golah country as far a the Nyumbowsh rapids, for the purpose of determining the feasibility of constructing a There is no particular change in the situation, narrow guage railroad to connect Monrovia with The city people are much re-assured by the de- the Soudan Valley vid Boporn. This survey is fences now under construction. Some few who the first ever made of the St. Paul River above fled at our first approach have recently returned tide water, and the ground run over extended to their houses, under the provisions of the sixty miles. The chief officer in charge of this general amnosty which are being easily under- important work was assisted by a junior officer; and these two getlemen employed only natives Of many suggestions flouting about at Cahul to assist them in carrying out the work, and the regarding the probable line of policy, the one natives of course, needed a great deal of drilling most likely to be adopted is a rapid march upon before they could be brought into serviceable Ghazni next month, scattering Mahomed Jan's shape. The party all told consisted of 45 mon. army; then a partition of the Afghanistan pro- ten of whom were stricken with a violent type vinces, we retaining Candahar on the south, and of the malarial fever populiar to the place, and the country between the Cabul River and Safed had to return. After having undergone severe Koh as far westward to Gundamuk is on the hardships in the prosocution of their work the North, with a good road running from Jellalabad two officers returned to the ship, made out their along the Daranta cliff, through the Lughman charts, and submitted their reports upon the topography of the country surveyed to them. JELLALADAD, February 8th. On the oth of March Mourovin was bidden adien From the Lughman Valley news has been re- to, and Cape Palmas was the next port the Amecaived that 54 of the most influential Khans rican vessel touched at. Tabu, further down the the case at all the ports that were entered. Ro-BOMBAY, FEBRUARY 9th, 10h. 31m. | turning to Cape Palmas reported dangers and A special telegram to the Times of India outlying sheals were examined, discovered, and states that Sir R. Touple amiounces, in his buoyed by the officer detailed for that service. electoral address, that he is arranging for his re- On returning to Monrovia Commedore Shufeldt signation, so us to be able to return home in met the Liberian officials, and examined their whole system of government, civil, political, and CANDAHAR, FEBRUARY 9th. military, aiding the coloured Republicans by A Carayan from Herat brings news of a fresh | making criticism where necessary, and anggestfight between the ligrati and Cabuli troops. The ling methods for reforming the various details of former were again wrosted owing to their want government. Here also a hydrographic sketch of artillery. The losses were heavy on both of the barbour was carefully made, and connected sides. Affairs at Chain and the Western frontier | with the survey of St. Paul River, already menare in a similar position. At Ghuzpi, the tioned, At Cape Mount, on the second visit to Afghans are engaged with the Hazarahs, and in that place, a reconnaissance was made by one of the West with the Biluchis of Chekansur, who, the scientists of the Sugary River, which stream without any political object, seek, in an unsettled constitutes the point in dispute, and it remains condition of the country, to gratify their pre- to be decided whether or not this river becomes datory instincts. A considerable force, accom- eventually the boundary between Liberia and the panied by gons, has been sent from Horatogainst | English territory to the north. Surveys were also made of Fisherman's Lake, a sheet of water The new Persian Governor of Seistan is re- over 75 miles in circumference, and situated inpairing the great Helmund . Hund, and con- land back of Cape Mount. On the shore of this lake ciliating the local chiefs estranged by the op- are placed many villages which collectively form pressive policy of the Ameer of Ghain, who has the entrepot of the interior trade. The Mobfah River was next surveyed to the head of navigation, ALLAHADAD, 11th February. a distance of 40 miles. The tribes living on the The Argendah. Ketal is reported clear of all banks were visited by the American officers, and wandering bands of robbers. Knfiles of sheep although internecine were were raging at the and cattle are now on the road to Sherpur. In time between the natives, the pale-faced genconsequence of our refusal to pay higher prices | tlemen were always kindly treated, and had no for sheep, the contractors had driven their flocks difficulty in becoming, with the assistance of away leaving us with only sixteen days' ment | their interpreters, theroughly conversant with supply. Private purchase of sheep in canton- the manners and customs—such as they were ments is being forbidden. The weather is severe, of these aborigines. Scolyman was revisited Four feet of snow is reported in Murdan. Twenty | April Let, and the boundary commission, consharp shook of earthquake was felt early on Mon- known at the Cape, and is now chief English day morning. No damage has been done to the Consul of the West Coast of Africa, with headbuilding in the Sherpur contements, but in the quarters at Fernando Po, we refer to Mr. Hop-Bala, Hissar the wall fell, injuring six Goorkhas, kins -and two Liberians, with Commodore Shutwo severely. A later telegram says the difficulty faldt as arbitrator. This commission was in about the ment supply continues. The soldiers' sesson until April 24th, when it adjourned size

At Sierra Leorne preparations were made for Kabul, 10th February Mir Sikanda Shah, Khan, the 29th April a final and glad farewell was COMPANY. some savages who had pillaged and destroyed In Assam the military authorities consider some years ago an American schooner. This savages will be severely punished. The trade of ALLAHABAD, 11th February. . | the Congo at present amounts to but little. At News from Ghuzui states that Muhamad Jan St. Paul de Loando the sickness of the officers Musa is anxiously expecting the arrival of Tur- and crew reached a climax. All the officers but kistan and Herat troops. The attack on the two suffered from malarial favor, and the eren British has been postponed till the 22nd. The at one time or another all felt the effects of the present Mahomedan month is considered un- poisonous malaria. Thus far the cruise has been lawful for war operations, and the delay has also a very ardnous one, and we hope that all on board

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Captain Goode, will be despatched for the abo Ports TO-DAY, the 8th inst., at 11 A.M. From this date, and during the absence of Mr. W. H. RAY from this Colony, Mr. B. For Freight or Passage, apply to GOLDSMITH has been appointed Acting DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents. H. NELSON, Hongkong, 5th March, 1880. FOR BANGKOK. F1m350 THE Steamship

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DEUCALION," NERAL MACHINISTS, DEALERS IN ARMS, Captain R. J. Brown, will be despatched on or about 13th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents! Hongkong, 5th March, 1880. TO CHASTEL & Co., WINE MERCHANTS,

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Hongkong, 27th February, 1880.

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PACIFIC MAIL S'UEAMSHEP COMPANY PHROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. THE U.S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF PE KING." Captain BERRY, will be despatched Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for San Francisco, vin Yokohams, on MON DAY, the 22nd March, 1880, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United

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